

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Kenichi MACHIDA et al.**

Art Unit: **1793**

Application Number: **10/560,831**

Examiner: **John P. Sheehan**

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For: **RARE EARTH - IRON - BORON BASED MAGNET AND METHOD FOR
PRODUCTION THEREOF**

Attorney Docket Number: **053385**
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop: Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

July 17, 2009

P.O. Box 1450

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Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated April 2, 2009 for 1 month from July 2, 2009 to August 2, 2009.

Attached please find payment in the amount of \$130.00 for the cost of the extension of time. If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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